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FOR WOMEN

The debilitating drains and discharges which weaken so many women are caused by Catarrh of the distinctly feminine organs. The sufferer may call her trouble Leucorrhoea, or Weakness, or Female Disease or some other name, but the real trouble is catarrh of the female organs and nothing else. Pe-ru-na radically and permanently cures this and all other forms of Catarrh. It is a positive specific for female troubles caused by catarrh of the delicate lining of the organs peculiar to women. It always cures if used persistently. It is prompt and certain.

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REGULATE THE BOWELS

Care of the Farm Team.

No other business man has greater need of a first-class team than the farmer, no other has so good an opportunity to get and keep a first-class team. Still the farm teams of the country are not a credit to the profession, says H. P. Miller in *Indiana Farmer*. It is a version of the truth expressed in the adage, "The shoemaker's wife goes barefooted." With the variety and abundance of feed upon our farms our horses generally show neglect and unwise care. Farmers generally do not know that the horse's stomach normally holds only three gallons and they attempt to crowd a two bushel basket of hay into him and then allow him to drink four or five gallons of water upon top of it. The horse of all animals, except the hog, needs concentrated food. He should never be compelled to live upon hay nor should he be fed more at one time than he will eat up in thirty minutes. Even less than that at morning and noon feeds, when at hard work. This should be preceded by watering, but should be given before feeding grain. A light feed with time to digest it, is better than a heavy one without time for digestion. Let the heaviest feed of the day be given at the close of the day's work. Never give a larger feed than usual just before a hard day's work or drive.

Water frequently but not in large quantity. In the hot days of summer when man desires to drink about every hour, it is cruelty to compel the team to go without from one feed to another. Contrive some way to get them water more frequently, if no other, haul it to the field with you. I want to say with emphasis that a horse never gets too hot to drink a few sallows. Every one knows that the horse that has stood idle for some weeks or even days, can not endure so much exertion as though he had regular daily work, yet few realize the extent to which this is true. Very many horses are overtaxed the first week of spring work. Make it a business to give every horse intended for spring work, some work during the winter. The mistaken kindness that works greatest injury to the horse and lessens his ability for service is that of allowing him to cool off during the day. A horse that has been made to sweat profusely at his work should not be allowed to rest so long at a time that perspiring will cease. Stop often rather than long. The race horse man never lets his charge cool off after he has warmed him up in the morning until after the race is over. If he did he might as well keep out of the race. One other practice of many farmers is to be discouraged, that of turning their horses into the field at night as soon as the pastures start in the spring. Allow him a little grass daily as an appetizer, but do not allow him to gorge himself with it.

An Estimate in Profit.

There are few farmers who rightly estimate the poultry and eggs that are produced on the farm. If they study the matter up, they will find that the hens in the barnyard pay more for the food they consume than almost anything else, in fact, except the indispensable horse, whose value is hard to compute, being so much depended upon, so says a writer in *Poultry Tribune*. The farmer can keep a hen for less than fifty cents per year. This has been proved time and again, and it is a poor sort of hen that will not produce ten dozen eggs a year. The average price is about ten cents a dozen. Allowing the cost of keeping in fifty cents, and that eggs average but ten cents a dozen the year through, it will be seen the income is one hundred per cent on the investment of keep. If he keeps his poultry as he should, the average price will be nearer twenty cents a dozen than ten cents, for he will get eggs in the winter when prices are high.

Protect the Soil.—It is always a loss to leave soil naked through the winter, especially if the surface soil is friable. Unless snow comes as a covering, much of it will be blown into adjoining fields. Often when snow comes it will be wind swept into tanks behind fences on its leeward side, and so soon as the banks are formed the snow will be darkened by clouds of fine dust, which is deposited on its surface. This wind-blown soil is always extremely rich, as is shown by the quicker growth and darker green of the grass that grows up after the bank has melted in spring. Always the land on the lee side of fields that have been much and long plowed is richer near the fence on the leeward side than it is nearer the center of the field. For this reason, when plowing, turn the furrows as much as possible from the fences towards the center of the field. Doubtless there is much blowing of surface dirt in summer showers, though it is not so plain to the sight as it is when the dark rim lies on top of a white bank of snow.—E.E.

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His Ancestral Home.

The Boston Transcript says: "It is planned to hold soon a Dewey celebration in the town of Gilesum, N. H., which was the home of the ancestors of Admiral George Dewey, and his grandfather, Eliezer Dewey, Jr., lived there between the years 1765 and 1786. They were among the prominent and patriotic citizens. The town history mentions the family as 'one of more refinement and culture than was usual in those times.' It has been proposed that a monument of rocks be built by citizens of the town on the day of the celebration on the lot formerly occupied as the Dewey home, which long ago disappeared, the monument to bear the single word, 'Dewey.'"

For Three Cents.

The time is near at hand when one can step into a neat and comfortable cab in New York and be carried five, ten or twenty blocks for the small sum of 3 cents. The Auto-Truck company, which was recently incorporated and includes Richard Croker among its directors, is working upon such plans for the future. They are so comprehensive in their scope that they may revolutionize the traction business in New York. It is claimed on behalf of the company that even at this rate it can pay 10 per cent on the cost of the plant, and that its policy will to make the fare as low as possible, perhaps even 2 1-2 cents.

Always Receiving.

Little John (after casting his penny into the fund for the Hawaiian Islanders)—I wish I was a heathen! Sabbath school teacher—Oh, Johnnie! Why do you wish such an awful thing as that? Little John—The heathen don't never have to give nothin'; they are always gettin' somethin'.

Be thankful when you do not have to borrow.

When people are pleased they say very little.

Nervous People.

Nervous people not only suffer themselves but cause more or less misery to everyone around them. They are fretful, easily worried and therefore a worry to others.

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Nervousness is a question of nutrition. Food for the nerves is what you need to put you right, and the best nerve food in the world is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They give strength and tone to every nerve in the body, and make despondent, easily irritated people feel that life has renewed its charms. Here is proof:

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MISS POLLY FRAME, Meade, Kan., writes:

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